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LAW DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

TO: Dr. W. Edwards
DATE: 14 August 1979
FROM: S. Hutcheson
SUBJECT: PATENTABILITY STUDY ON CHIRAL 4' AND 4',5'-SUBSTITUTED
NICOTINE ANALOGS AND METHOD OF PREPARATION

Attached is a copy of Mr. George Depaoli's patentability study per my request to him dated 20 July 1979. His conclusions of patentability are based on the references submitted by you as well as a search of additional literature and pertinent patent classes in the Patent Office.

Mr. Depaoli has indicated those compounds which he believes to be patentable in view of the art and has also indicated those compounds that should be prepared for comparative purposes.

After you have studied the attached analysis, we should discuss the disclosure and decide what steps need to be taken to place it in condition for preparation of an application.

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Attachment
cc: T. Osdene
W. Johnson
.. T. Sanders w/attachment

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